

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1-13, as follows:

1. (currently amended) An image transmission device transmitting:

[[a]] first coded-image data with a first image coded; and

[[a]] second coded-image data with a coded second image with a predetermined form, which is displayed over the first image, ~~and changes the second image having a changed form when displayed~~ in the case of the first coded-image data being tampered with, thereby to visually evidence the tampering.

2. (currently amended) An image transmission device according to claim 1, comprising:

first image coding means for coding the first image;

hash value operation means for calculating ~~the~~ a hash value of the first image;

second image coding means for coding the second image;

encryption means for encrypting the second coded-image data by using the hash value of the first image as a key; and

transmission means for transmitting the first coded-image data and the encrypted second coded-image data.

3. (currently amended) An image transmission device according to claim 2, wherein the transmission means comprise multiplexing means for multiplexing the first

coded-image data and the encrypted second coded-image data.

4. (currently amended) An image transmission device according to claim 1, wherein the second image ~~means~~ includes an image selected from the group of images consisting of marks, stamps, or and signs, which are used to ensure that the coded-image data of the first image are not tampered with.

5. (currently amended) A storage medium wherein the program for realizing a function of the image transmission device according to claim 1 is stored.

6. (currently amended) An image display device displaying in ~~files~~ layers:
a first image which is achieved by decoding the first coded-image data; and
a second image, which is achieved by decoding the second coded-image data, the second image changing and changes the form in the case of the first coded-image data being tampered with, thereby to visually evidence the tampering.

7. (currently amended) An image display device according to claim 6, wherein the first image data and the second image data are acquired by receiving from the outside.

8. (currently amended) An image display device according to claim 6, wherein the first image data and the second image data are acquired by reading from storage media.

9. (currently amended) An image display device according to claim 6, comprising:

data acquisition means for acquiring the first coded-image data and the encrypted second coded-image data;

first image decoding means for decoding the first coded-image data;

hash value operation means for calculating the hash value of the decoded first image;

decryption means for decrypting the encrypted second coded-image data by using the hash value of the first image as a key;

second image decoding means for decoding the decrypted second coded-image data; and

image combination means for combining the decoded first image with the decoded second image.

10. (currently amended) An image display device according to claim 9, wherein the data acquisition means comprise multiplexing and dividing means for dividing the multiplexed data in the case of the first coded-image data and the encrypted second coded-image data multiplexed.

11. (currently amended) An image display device according to claim 9, wherein the second image ~~means~~ includes an image selected from the group of images consisting of marks, stamps, or signs, which are used to ensure that the coded-image data of the first image are not tampered with.

12. (currently amended) A storage medium wherein ~~the~~ a program for realizing a function of image display device according to claim 6 is stored.

13. (currently amended) An image transmission/reception system comprising:

an image transmission device transmitting:
first coded-image data with a first image coded, and
second coded-image data with a coded second image with a predetermined form,
which is displayed over the first image, the second image having a changed form when
displayed in the case of the first coded-image data being tampered with, thereby visually to
evidence the tampering; according to claim 1 and
an image display device according to claim 6, between which the first image and the
second image are transmitted/received.